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Transmitted herewith for filing is the patent application of:

Inventor: Kevin Beauchamp

For: VARIABLE PATTERN MAKING JIG FOR A QUILTING MACHINE

Enclosed are:

- Specification, Claims and Abstract of the Disclosure (Total pages 24);
- Declaration and Power of Attorney (UNSIGNED) (Total pages 2);
- Request and Certification Under 35 U.S.C. 122(b)(2)(B)(i) is enclosed (Total pages 1);
- Drawings (INFORMAL) (Total Sheets 5)
- Information Disclosure Statement, PTO-1449 (Total pages \_\_\_\_); copies of citations (\_\_\_\_ US patents; \_\_\_\_ Foreign patents; \_\_\_\_ Other documents);
- Applicant claims small entity status under 37 CFR. 1.27;
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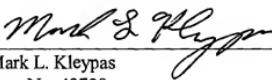
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